

Nelson, Bettie L

From: Nelson, Bettie L
Sent: Wednesday, June 26, 2002 2:56 PM
To: 'Diane R Mould'
Subject: RE: PM TES file

Diane,

The questions for the number of cigarettes read as follows:

1. Over the past 3 months, what was the average number of cigarettes you smoked per day?
2. Within the past 3 days, on average, how many cigarettes did you smoke per day?

I have recieved the data on the Accord study. They are in separate files. I will merge them into one file with the same variable names as those in the TES file. The files have start and stop dates and times for collections. Do you want both sets of dates and times or just the start times?

Best regards,

Bettie

—Original Message—

From: Diane R Mould [mailto:drmould@attglobal.net]
Sent: Wednesday, June 26, 2002 2:05 PM
To: Bettie.L.Nelson@pmusa.com
Subject: RE: PM TES file

Dear Bettie

thank you for the additional information. the file format is fine - it takes only minor adjustments from my programmer.

You indicated that the number of cigarettes at screening and enrollment are the mean number of cigarettes smoked during the past 3 months. Is this the mean number of cigarettes PER DAY over the last 3 months?

You also said that the number of cigarettes at the visits are the mean number of cigarettes smoked within the 3 days prior to the visit. again, is the a mean number PER DAY?

It seems reasonable that these are mean numbers per day but I would like to know for sure. my programmer is nearly done merging and cleaning your data set and we may have a few more questions after that.

thanks so much

Diane

—Original Message—

From: Bettie.L.Nelson@pmusa.com [mailto:Bettie.L.Nelson@pmusa.com]
Sent: Wednesday, June 26, 2002 11:07 AM
To: drmould@attglobal.net
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Nelson, Bettie L

From: Nelson, Bettie L
Sent: Wednesday, June 26, 2002 11:07 AM
To: 'Diane R Mould'
Subject: RE: PM TES file

Dear Diane,

The ID numbers that you listed (17,31,33,54,61 and 65) were dropped due to their failure to meet the study eligibility criteria at some point in the study and so that is why there are no data at those points.

The subjects with data for screening and enrollment only were dropped due to positive drug screens and should be deleted.

To clarify a point, the number of cigarettes at screening and enrollment are the mean number of cigarettes smoked during the past 3 months. The number of cigarettes at the visits are the mean number of cigarettes smoked within the 3 days prior to the visit.

Please don't hesitate to request additional information. If this is not the best format for easy use for the simulation please let me know how you prefer the data.

Best regards,

Bettie

—Original Message—

From: Diane R Mould [mailto:drmould@attglobal.net]
Sent: Wednesday, June 26, 2002 9:12 AM
To: Bettie.L.Nelson@pmusa.com
Subject: FW: PM TES file
Importance: High

Dear Bettie

my programmer has a few questions about the TES data file:

The following ID's (17,31,33,54,61 and 65) had one or more visits with no NUMCIGS. Can you find out what these values were? if not, should we just use the last NUMCIGS value and carry it forward?

For several patients, there is just the SCR and ENR Visit information and nothing further. Can we conclude that these were dropouts?

thank you
Diane

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